

## HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT

### As a school Kingsmead aims to:

- provide a pleasant, safe and well-ordered environment in which students can work and achieve;
- provide a broad and balanced curriculum promoting "everyone can achieve";
- provide quality learning experiences for all students and maximise opportunities for success of all kinds ;
- provide regular accurate information concerning students' attendance and academic progress;
- provide regular opportunities for progress to be discussed and learning targets to be set;
- respond constructively to parents' and carers' communications and concerns;
- encourage all members of the school community to value the qualities of others and, in turn, to feel valued themselves;
- set a regular pattern of homework suited to the abilities of each student;
- ensure systems are in place for safe ICT usage as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT.

Signed by Tutor:

### As a Kingsmead student I aim to:

- ✓ take responsibility for my own learning and to ensure that all targets set are met to the best of my abilities;
- attend school regularly and on time;
- follow staff expectations;
- take pride in my appearance and wear uniform correctly;
- work to the best of my ability, with respect for others;
- develop study skills by recording and completing homework and handing it in on time;
- maintain a pleasant environment in which to work by keeping it clean, tidy and free from litter;
- treat everyone fairly and with respect, acknowledging that aggressive actions and discriminatory behaviour are not accepted;
- let a member of staff or someone at home know if I have any worries;
- encourage my parents/carers to check and sign my planner each week;
- bring basic equipment and the correct books to school every day;
- bring a school bag every day, which is large enough to sensibly carry all my school equipment and books;
- ensure proper and safe use of the school ICT systems as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT;
- NOT bring a mobile phone or other banned items to school.

Signed by Student:

### As a parent/carer of a student at Kingsmead I aim to:

- ensure my child arrives on time (before 8.30a.m), appropriately dressed and properly equipped for the day's activities;
- ensure my child attends regularly, make a telephone call of explanation if my child is absent or provide a note on their return;
- attend Parents' Consultation Evenings and respond to any reasonable request to discuss my child's education;
- inform Kingsmead of any change of emergency contact numbers, or circumstance that may affect my child's education;
- arrange appointments with teachers in advance should I wish to discuss any matter related to my child's experience at school or my own concerns;
- check homework and sign my child's planner each week and, wherever possible, support and encourage learning at home;
- support Kingsmead's staff on all policies (available from the school) agreed by the governing body; respect the professional judgement of teaching staff for my child in meeting expectations as outlined in the Student Planner;
- wherever possible, arrange dental and medical appointments out of school hours and avoid family holidays in term times;
- ensure proper and safe use of the school ICT systems as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT;
- ensure my child does NOT bring a mobile phone or other banned items to school.

Signed by Parent/Carer:

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### As a Kingsmead student I aim to:

- take responsibility for my own learning and to ensure that all targets set are met to the best of my abilities;
- attend school regularly and on time;
- follow all staff directions and expectations;
- take pride in my appearance and wear uniform correctly;
- work to the best of my ability, with respect for others;
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- bring basic equipment and the correct books to school every day;
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- ensure proper and safe use of the school ICT systems as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT;
- NOT bring a mobile phone or other banned items to school.

### As a parent/carer of a student at Kingsmead I aim to:

- ensure my child arrives on time (before 8.30a.m), appropriately dressed and properly equipped for the day's activities;
- ensure my child attends regularly, make a telephone call of explanation if my child is absent or provide a note on their return;
- attend Parents' Consultation Evenings and respond to any reasonable request to discuss my child's education;
- inform Kingsmead of any change of emergency contact numbers, or circumstance that may affect my child's education ;
- arrange appointments with teachers in advance should I wish to discuss any matter related to my child's experience at school or my own concerns;
- check homework and sign my child's planner each week and, wherever possible, support and encourage learning at home;
- support Kingsmead's staff on all policies (available from the school) agreed by the governing body; respect the professional judgement of teaching staff for my child in meeting expectations as outlined in the Student Planner;
- wherever possible, arrange dental and medical appointments out of school hours and avoid family holidays in term times;
- ensure proper and safe use of the school ICT systems as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT;
- ensure my child does NOT bring a mobile phone or other banned items to school.

Signed by Tutor: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Parent/carer: \_\_\_\_\_

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- respond constructively to parents’ and carers’ communications and concerns;
- encourage all members of the school community to value the qualities of others and, in turn, to feel valued themselves;
- set a regular pattern of homework suited to the abilities of each student;
- ensure systems are in place for safe ICT usage as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT.
- Provide opportunity for students to undergo work experience and/or field trips, if they are an integral part of their course.

Signed by Tutor:

### As a Kingsmead student I will

- take responsibility for my own learning and to ensure that all targets set are met to the best of my abilities;
- wear my identity badge at all times;
- attend school regularly and on time;
- follow all staff directions and expectations;
- take pride in my appearance;
- work to the best of my ability, with respect for others;
- Meet all coursework and homework deadlines;
- Develop independent study skills;
- maintain a pleasant environment in which to work by keeping it clean, tidy and free from litter;
- treat everyone fairly and with respect, acknowledging that aggressive actions and discriminatory behaviour are not accepted;
- let a member of staff or someone at home know if I have any worries;
- bring appropriate equipment, the correct books and resources to all lessons;
- Bring a school bag every day, which is large enough to sensibly carry all my school equipment and books;
- ensure proper and safe use of the school ICT systems as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT.
- Complete any work experience and/or field trips, which are an integral part of my course.

Signed by Student:

### As a parent/carer of a student at Kingsmead I aim to:

- ensure my child arrives on time (before 8.30a.m), appropriately dressed and properly equipped for the day’s activities;
- ensure my child attends regularly, make a telephone call of explanation if my child is absent or provide a note on their return;
- attend Parents’ Consultation Evenings and respond to any reasonable request to discuss my child’s education;
- inform Kingsmead of any change of emergency contact numbers, or circumstance that may affect my child’s education;
- arrange appointments with teachers in advance should I wish to discuss any matter related to my child’s experience at school or my own concerns
- check homework, support and encourage learning at home;
- support Kingsmead’s staff on all policies (available from the school) agreed by the governing body; respect the professional judgement of teaching staff for my child in meeting expectations as outlined in the Student Planner;
- wherever possible, arrange dental and medical appointments out of school hours and avoid family holidays in term times;
- ensure proper and safe use of the school ICT systems as described in the Acceptable Usage Policy for ICT.
- Support my child to complete any extra-curricular activities integral to their course.

Signed by Parent/carer: